

Docket No. 1422-0442P

DNA having the DNA sequence identified as SEQ ID NO:32. pMSP60 contains in part DNA having the DNA sequence identified as SEQ ID NO:33. --

Please replace pages 82-100 of the specification with the Substitute Sequence Listing enclosed herewith. Please renumber the remaining pages, beginning with the claims, consecutively from page 98 of the Sequence Listing.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 1--19 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 20, A method for isolating a desired gene, characterized in that [the] a plasmid vector comprising a promoter sequence to control an expression of a desired gene, said promoter sequence being recognized by an RNA polymerase not inherent to a host, and a replication origin for increasing a copy number by induction with an exogenous factor.

Claim 28, line 2, please change "any one of claims 25 to 27" to --claim 25--.